

## House Resolution No. 1153

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have demonstrated an exceptional commitment to serving others; and

**Whereas**, Cherice Preiner is a Learn & Serve volunteer at Bailey Alternative High School in Springfield who has generously given innumerable hours of service through a variety of impressive venues; and

**Whereas**, Cherice Preiner will receive a prestigious 2003-2004 Lieutenant Governor's Service Award on Missouri Service Day, March 17, 2004, during a ceremony to be held at the Capitol in Jefferson City; and

**Whereas**, with a reputation for outstanding participation in national service, Cherice Preiner is admirably following the Department of Economic Development, Community Development Group, Missouri Community Service Commission mandate to strengthen communities through citizen service; and

**Whereas**, Cherice Preiner has developed and maintained a significant roster of community-oriented activities during her illustrious association with Learn & Serve, including exceptional work with the Youth Empowerment Project; Bailey Service-Learning Advisory Council, which she cochairs; "etc. Center," which she leads as codirector; Empty Bowls Luncheon; the national Service-Learning Conference, where she will give a presentation in 2004 about environmental service-learning projects; and the PeaceJam Conference; and

**Whereas**, Cherice Preiner has a tremendous capacity for empathy and compassion, and has proven that exceptional youth can be of considerable value to society not just for their contributions in life, but also as exemplary models for others to emulate:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the nomination and selection of Cherice Preiner for a 2003-2004 Lieutenant Governor's Service Award through Learn & Serve and to convey to her this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and our best wishes for continued achievement for many more years to come; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Cherice Preiner of Springfield, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Mark Wright  
District No. 137

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1153, adopted March 17, 2004.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker